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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8348

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN, BL

SUBJECT: POLYSTYRENE PLANT CARL GORDON INDUSTRIES

REF: STATE 188375; LA PAZ 7065

1. EMBOFFS DISCUSSED PROJECT OCTOBER 8 WITH RESPONSIBLE YPFB OFFICIAL JORGE ARAMAYO, WHO HAS BEEN UNAVAILABLE DURING LAST TWO MONTHS BECUASE OF TRAVEL TO ANDEAN PACT HEADQUARTERS AND U.S. ARAMAYO SAID HE BELIEVES OPIC FINANCING HAS ALREADY BEEN APPROVED. HE SAID CARL GORDON INDUSTRIES HAS COMPLETE AND CURRENT MARKET DATA, WHICH HE BELIEVES HAS BEEN PROVIDED TO OPIC, BUT HE'S WILLING TO LEND OPIC A COPY IF OPIC SO REQUIRES.

2. APPROXIMATELY FOUR MONTHS AGO GENERAL PURPOSE CRYSTAL PRICE WAS US \$1,300 PER METRIC TON C.I.F. LA PAZ. PRICE HAS GONE DOWN TO AS LOW AS US\$1,200. IMPACT POLYSTYRENE WAS US\$1,450, C.I.F. LA PAZ.

3. PER DECISION NO. 91, THIS PRODUCT WAS ASSIGNED TO BOLIVIA.

4. STANFORD RESERACH INSTITUTE STUDY NOT AVAILABLE AS YPFB ADVISED THAT IT IS NOW OUTDATED.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY REQUESTS CLARIFICATION ON STATUS OF OPIC FINANCING FOR PROJECT AND WISHES TO KNOW IF OPIC STILL NEEDS YPFB'S MARKET STUDY.

6. CANNOT IDENTIFY STUDY REQUESTED PER PARA 3, POINT (C). PLEASE REIDENTIFY AND SUBMIT AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE
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SHOULD IT STILL BE REQUIRED.

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